No. G. 17226—*G. M.* 76-15-299, *dated* 26*th June* 1916.

In continuation of Government Notification No. 7640—G. M. 76-15-176, dated 14th December 1915, the undermentioned papers are hereby republished for general information:—

Telegram from the Secretary of State for India, dated the 1st May 1916, to Viceroy (C. and I. Department).

Following firms in United State of America have signed now forms of mica guarantee and have been approved as mica importers:—Mica Insulator Company, S. O. Fillion, incorporated with Mica Manufacturing Company; Eugene Munsell: all New York; Cameron Electric Manufacturing Company. Ansonia: J. Hüse & Son, Boston; Chicago Mica Company Valparaiso: Indiana Hotpoint Electric Heating Company, Ontario: California America Mica Company: General Electric Company: Watson Brothers: Washington Electric Manufacturing Company: Joseph Dixon Crucible Company. In future licenses may be granted for exporting to these firms without reference to me, provided mica consigned to Consul General at New York or San Francisco on account of importing firm. In case of possible unforeseen circumstances, War Trade Department do not recommend grant of general licenses for monthly shipments of large consignments. Please send me monthly list of shipments. This telegram does not apply to proposed shipments of ruby clear sizes three, four, five, six which still should be referred to me.

Telegram from the Secretary of State for India dated the 4th May 1916.

My telegram dated 1st May. Mica for the United States. Following has been approved:—A. O. Schoonmaker Company, New York.

Telegram from the Secretary of State for India dated the 9th May 1916.

My telegram dated 1st May. Mica for the United States. Following has been approved:—W. Wells and Company, incorporated, New York.

Telegram from the Secretary of State for India dated the 17th May 1916.

My telegram dated 1st May. Mica for the United States. Following approved:—Landers, Frary, Clark: New Britain.

Telegram No. 3732—W. I., dated the 27th May 1916, from the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, to Collectors of Customs, Calcutta and Madras.

Reference correspondence ending with our telegram 3398—W., 19th May. Mica exports. Secretary of State has now sanctioned appointment of Christien of Koderman as Government Agents for purchase of mica and has directed that all supplies of sizes 3, 4, 5 and 6 clear ruby and part stained ruby should pass through hands of this firm and be allowed to be exported only on their recommendation. Mica selected by firm for Government requirements should be consigned to Christien Company, London. Balmer Lawrie will be employed as shipping agents and should be assisted, if necessary, in securing shipping space. Export of other grades of mica will be regulated under orders conveyed in our telegram 2682—W., dated 4th May. Please take action accordingly.

No. G. 17248—*G. M.* 76-15-301, *dated* 28*th June* 1916.

In continuation of Government Notification No. G. 16298—G. M. 76-15-282, dated 1st June 1916, the following letter from the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, to certain Local Governments, is hereby republished for general information:—

Letter No. 3625-W.—II, dated the 25th May 1916, from the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, to certain Local Governments.

I am directed to refer to paragraph 3 of my letter No. 2279-W, dated the 29th April 1916, prescribing the procedure to be observed in regard to the admission into British India of goods of Belgian origin not previously imported into the United Kingdom but obtained through the intervention of a firm in the United Kingdom.

2. It appears that a firm originally procuring goods under license from the Board of Trade sometimes finds it convenient to sell to a third party who thus appears as the shipper to India. In such cases, I am to say that the India Office will notify Collectors of Customs of the names of the purchasers and the importer will be required to undertake to pay the purchase price to the purchaser and not to the original licensee.

3. I am to request that the cases referred to in the enclosed copy of letter from the India Office, No. R. & S. 1529-16, dated the 20th April 1916, and enclosures may be disposed of in accordance with these orders.

3. To Bengal and Burma only.

No. 9253—*San.* 12-15-45, *dated* 20*th June* 1916.

It is hereby declared that under clause 1 of Section 2 of Regulation I of 1906, vaccination shall be compulsory for a period of three years, from 1st July 1916, in the Chiknayakanhalli Municipality.

No. 9411—*San.* 11-15-50, *dated* 26*th June* 1916.

It is hereby notified for general information that the attendance of persons from infected areas at the festival noted below is prohibited by the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, in exercise of the powers vested in them by the Epidemic Diseases Regulation, II of 1897 :—

Name of festival	Place	Taluk	District	Period	
				From	To
Car festival of Sri Venkataramanaswami	Tirupati	Arsikere ...	Hassan ...	5th to 18th July 1916.	

No. 9449—*San.* 17-15-105, *dated* 28*th June* 1916.

The following notifications of the Government of Madras are republished for general information :—

I.

Whereas the Governor in Council is satisfied that there is danger of an outbreak of plague at Sivasamudram in the Kollegal Taluk of the Coimbatore District, if persons from the infected portions of the Salem, Coimbatore, North Arcot, and South Canara Districts, the Mysore State and other parts declared to be infected with plague are permitted to visit that place on the occasion of the ensuing Durga festival (otherwise known as Sandanakudam festival) :

In exercise of the powers delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, the Governor in Council prohibits the attendance at the said festival from the 17th to 26th July 1916, inclusive, of persons from the said parts.

All persons proceeding to the said festival in contravention of this notification will be turned back.

II.

Whereas the Governor in Council is satisfied that there is danger of an out break of plague at Tiruvadamarudur in the Kumbakonam Taluk of the Tanjore District, if persons from the infected parts of the Bellary, Coimbatore, Madura, North Arcot, Salem and South Canara Districts, the Mysore State, the Bombay Presidency and other parts declared to be infected with plague are permitted to visit this place on the occasion of the ensuing Kumbhabhishekam festival :

In exercise of the powers delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act of 1897, the Governor in Council prohibits the attendance at the said festival from the 28th June to the 10th July 1916, inclusive, of persons from the said parts and further directs that between the said dates no tickets to travel by railway shall be sold at the stations of Mangalore, Tudiyalur, Nagatunai, Kelamangalam and Hosur on the South Indian Railway, and at the stations of Mailpatti, Valatoor, and Gudiyattam on the Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway for stations of Papanasam, Sundaraperumalkoil, Darasuram, Kumbakonam, Tirunagesvaram, Tiruvadamarudur, Adudurai, Narasinganpet, Kuttalam, Malliyam and Mayavaram on the South Indian Railway to any person intending or believed to be intending to be present at the said festival.

All persons proceeding to the said festival in contravention of this notification will be turned back.

III.

Whereas the Governor in Council is satisfied that there is danger of an outbreak of plague at Gettisamudram in the Bhavani Taluk of the Coimbatore District, if persons from the infected portions of the Coimbatore and Salem Districts, the Mysore State, and other parts declared to be infected with plague are permitted to visit that place on the occasion of the ensuing Gurunathaswami festival and cattle fair :

In exercise of the powers delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, the Governor in Council prohibits the attendance at the said festival or fair from the 6th to 13th August 1916, inclusive of persons from the said parts.

All persons proceeding to the said festival or fair in contravention of this notification will be turned back.

By Order,
D. M. NARASINGA RAO,
Secretary to Government,
General Department.